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For: HIGH RELIABILITY MULTI-TUBE THERMAL EXCHANGE STRUCTURE

14 pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract

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3 sheets of formal drawing

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